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FOR THE PREPARATION OF

PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS AND BIOMATERIALS FOR THE PREVENTION OF

THE FORMATION AND CURE OF

CUTANEOUS SCARS

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 4, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.